(Serial No. 07/782,696

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

FAX COPY RECEIVED

NOV 2 - 1993

Timothy Chuter

Atty. Docket No.: PA-5047 (Formerly 1217/1)

GROUP 3300

Serial No.: 07/782,696

Group Art Unit:

3308

Filing Date: October 25, 1991

Examiner: D. Brittingham

Title:

EXPANDABLE TRANSLUMINAL GRAFT PROSTHESIS FOR

REPAIR OF ANEURYSM AND METHOD OF IMPLANTING

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 - EXPEDITED PROCEDURE -EXAMINING GROUP 3308

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

#20/me E

SIR:

PROPOSED AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the final Office action dated July 1, 1993, Paper No. 14, amend the above-referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend claim 1 as follows:

- 1 (Twice amended) A device for grafting a prosthesis to
- 2 a wall of a lumen, said device comprising:
- a) a tubular introducer sheath having a longitudinal
- bore;

CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being faceimile transmitted to the Petent and Trademark Office on the date shown below.

Barbara J. Farss

(Typed or printed name of person signing certification)

Barbara Joses Signature